

FOR CITIZENS TO CONSIDER
THIS SCENARIO AND ONCE
AGAIN RECOGNIZE "THE
VALUE OF LIFE" - SUCH IS
THE PURPOSE OF A LAW IN
THIS COUNTRY, THE
"NATIONAL PROSPERITY
PRESCRIPTION ACT"



"WHAT IF
THERE IS
ONLY ONE
MORE DAY
TO LIVE?"

HOWEVER, THIS
YOUNG ADULT
WILL ONLY KNOW
OF HIS FATE 24
HOURS PRIOR TO
HIS DEATH.

AND NANO-CAPSULES
INJECTED INTO THE
SYRINGES WILL CAUSE
ONE PERSON OUT OF A
THOUSAND TO DIE, AT A
PRE-DETERMINED TIME,
BETWEEN THE AGE OF
18 AND 20.



EVERY CITIZEN
RECEIVES A
"NATIONAL
AFFAIRS
VACATION" WHEN
ENTERING
ELEMENTARY
SCHOOL.

- AT TIMES,
HOWEVER, A
SITUATION MAY
EMERGE WITH
DESPAIR
ERUPTING IN A
DIFFERENT
DIRECTION.



AFTER RECEIVING THE
FATE THAT DECLARES
ONE'S DEATH, THE
"VACATION" DOESN'T
RECOVERS STILL
ENDURES TO LIVE
THROUGH THEIR LAST
DAY, DESPITE THEIR
INTERIOR DESPAIR.

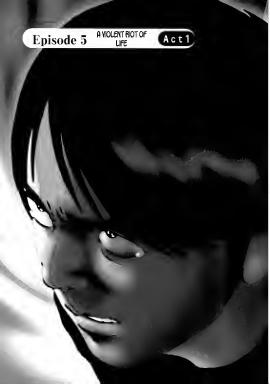




Episode 5

A VIOLENT RIOT OF
LIFE

Act 1





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THE MESSAGE ARTIST



HAVE WE
FORGOTTEN HOW
IT IS TO SHOW
CONSIDERATION
FOR OTHERS AND
TO SHOW
RESPECT FOR
LIFE...?

IN THE LONG-
STANDING
ECONOMIC
DEPRESSION,
WE HAVE ALL
LOST THE
HEART TO BE
NORMIE OR
GENEROUS.



I...
TAKIMOTO
KAZUKO,
WOULD
LIKE TO
SAY -

IN THIS BEAUTIFUL
MUSASHI-ARA
DISTRICT, TO DELIVER A
MESSAGE TO OUR
CHILDREN OF RESPECT
TO ONE'S HEART AND
ONE'S LIFE,



TODAY IS THE
DAY TO
REINFORCE
"NATIONAL
PROSPERITY
EDUCATION!"

国政
復興

























THEN,
DO
YOUR
BEST.



P-
PLEASE
LET ME
STAY
HERE!!



M-
MOTHER, I'M
SORRY!
I'LL
STUDY
HARD!



M.
OK.

FEAR,
LET'S
GET
GOING.



IF I GO,
MOTHER WILL
HATE ME.

I CAN'T BLAME
MYSELF FOR
MOTHER...

IF SHE HATES
ME, SHE'LL
THROW ME
OUT...!!



I HAVE TO
WORK HARD...!!







①	飯塚 くにこ
②	古井 陽子
LOST	TRIMOTO KAZUO
③	中田 ゆう
④	阿川 けい

昭和45年10月10日 東京市立病院 入院患者名簿	
病室	氏名
101	飯塚 くにこ
102	古井 陽子
103	中田 ゆう
104	阿川 けい
105	三宅 健一
106	山田 一郎
107	田中 次郎
108	佐藤 三郎
109	鈴木 四郎
110	高橋 五郎
111	斎藤 六郎
112	清水 七郎
113	石川 八郎
114	木村 九郎
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116	高橋 十一郎
117	斎藤 十二郎
118	清水 十三郎
119	石川 十四郎
120	木村 十五郎





BUT
MOTHER
NEVER
TOOK IT
SERIO-
USLY.

EVEN THOUGH
SOME PEOPLE
SAID, "HOW DOES
SHE TALK ABOUT
EDUCATION
REFORM WHEN
SHE CAN'T EVEN
RAISE HER KID
RIGHT?"



YOU SKIPPING
SCHOOL WAS
NOT THE
REASON I
LOST THE
ELECTION.



MACH



THANKS SO
MUCH FOR
MAKING IT
UNTIL TODAY.













MAKES YOU
THINK THAT
THOSE MUST
BE A BETTER
WAY TO
SPEND THE
TAX MONEY.



SO IT'S QUITE
SLOW IN THE
WORK PLACE...
EVERYONE'S
KIND OF LAZY
AND BLEAK -

ON TOP OF THAT,
THE PEOPLE IN
SERVICE CENTRES
ARE ALMOST ALL
RETIRES FROM
THE MINISTRY OF
WELFARE &
HEALTH.



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NO
NO.

SORRY,
SORRY.



MY GOSH,
WHAT AM I
SAYING TO
GOVERN-
MENT
WORKERS...



OK. BE
CAREFUL
ON THE
ROAD.

ISHI-
KAZUO, I
SHOULD BE
HEADING
OUT.







IT'S
LIKE...



YEAH...
FUJIWAKO-
KUN WAS
TROUBLED BY
IT, TOO, AT
THE
BEGINNING.
HE'S GROWN
QUITE
A BIT.



HE HAS
EMERGED
FROM A
CHRYSLID.





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THE SILENT GAME





ARE YOU...
TAKIMOTO-
GAMI?



UM,
WHAT
IS IT?



HAVE WE
MET
BEFORE?

OR ARE
YOU A
SUPPORTER
OF MINE?



YES, I'M
TAKIMOTO
KAZUKO.



IF YOU HAVE
ANY
OPINIONS OR
CONCERNS,
PLEASE
DON'T
HESITATE TO
CONTACT MY
OFFICE.

I AM
GOING TO
A TV
STATION
RIGHT NOW
FOR A
RECORDING
SESSION.





WHEN SHE
CAN'T USE
ME, SHE
THROWS ME
IN THE TRASH!

ALL SHE DOES
IS THREATEN
ME FOR HER
OWN SELFISH
GOALS...

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I'M YOUR
SON!!

I'M NOT
A TOOL!

I'M A
PERSON....!!



**Shut up!
Don't touch
my door!**



**Y-YOU
RECEIVED
AN IKIGAMI!!**





COUNTDOWN TO TIME OF
DEATH, 23H 28MIN
REMAINING



WHY DID IT TAKE SO
LONG FOR THE NEWEST
CHAPTER?

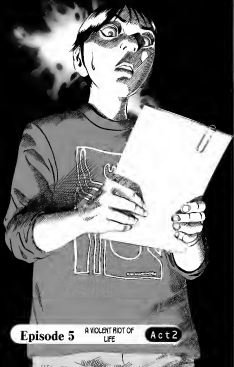
IKIGAMI CHAPTER 13

BROUGHT TO YOU BY:

**IMMASCARE'S
NEIL SINE DEPAS**

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Episode 5

**A VIOLENT RIOT OF
LIFE**

Act 2



I-
IKISAMI...!?



YOU'RE
KIDDING
ME...!!















SO,
NAOKI...

I ASK THAT
YOU PLEASE
APPEAR
DURING MY
SPEECH
TOMORROW.



YOU
SHUT
YOUR
MOUTH.



IN A
DAY,
NACKI'S
GONNA -



KA-KAZUKO...
DO YOU EVEN
KNOW WHAT
YOU'RE SAYING?!



WILL YOU
PLEASE
HELP ME?

TOMORROW IS
THE LAST DAY
OF
CAMPAIGNING.
TUE DAY AFTER
TOMORROW IS
ELECTION DAY -

YOU RECEIVING
AN IKIGAMI AT
THIS TIME, THIS
IS A ONCE-IN-A-
CENTURY
CHANCE FOR
ME.



BUT WE NEED TO
LOOK AT THE
POSITIVE SIDE
OF EVERYTHING.
THAT'S MY
SCHOOL OF
THOUGHT.



NACKI, I
UNDERSTAND
WHAT
YOU'RE
THINKING
RIGHT NOW.

IT'S A
SHAME
YOU'RE
DYING SO
YOUNG.



YOU WANT
THE LAST DAY
OF YOUR LIFE
TO BE
MEANINGFUL,
TOO, DON'T
YOU?



"A ONCE-
IN-A-
CENTURY
CHANCE"
- 17

"WE NEED TO
LOOK AT THE
POSITIVE SIDE OF
EVERYTHING.
THAT'S MY SCHOOL
OF THOUGHT" - 8



I'M...I'M
REALLY
GOING TO
DIE!

WHAT THE
FUCK'S
WRONG
WITH YOU?

WE'RE
CONNECTED
BY "BLOOD"
AFTER ALL -

BUT -



TO THIS DAY,
I'VE NEVER
FELT LOVED...



IT DIDN'T MATTER,
I STILL THOUGHT
YOU WERE MY
MOTHER.

JUST WHAT
EXACTLY IS A
MOTHER-
AND-SON -



WELL?

YOU
DON'T
WANT
TO?



YOU,
YOU
ARE...



MACHU.





SO...PLEASE
DON'T
DISTURB ME.

I WANT TO
DIE
PEACEFULLY.
ALONE.



SORRY I
COULDN'T
HELP YOU.

BEST
WISHES ON
YOUR HARD
WORK.

AND,
I HAVE NO
DESIRE TO
HELP YOU
WITH YOUR
ELECTION.



...



YOUR
DEMANDS...

I'M TOO
SELFISH
IN MY
DEMANDS.





I'LL SAY IT AGAIN...I REALLY AM SORRY.



WE WILL TAKE CARE OF THE FUNERAL.

DON'T WORRY YOURSELF ABOUT IT. ENJOY THE LAST OF YOUR TIME.



THIS IS FOR YOU.

BUY SOME THING YOU LIKE, GO SOMEWHERE. IT'S UP TO YOU.



W-WAIT A SEC!

DEAR, LET'S GO.



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DEAR...



AT LEAST BE A LITTLE MORE CONSIDERATE OF NAOKI -



YOU CALL YOURSELF A MOTHER!?







SHOULD I
REMINDE YOU
WHO IT IS THAT
KEEPS YOU
LIVING?

YOU
FUCKEN
LOSER!



YOU
FUCKEN
LOSER!!



DEAR,
HURRY
UP!



TO PROMOTE
VITALITY IN
THIS DISTRICT,
FIRST...A
LARGE-SCALE,
MULTI-LEVEL
PARKING
FACILITY WILL
BE BUILT.



NEEDMORE
KOUCHI'S VERY
FIRST PROMISE IS
TO DEVELOP THE
SUFFERING
DISTRICT OF
GAKUSHAGUA
INTO ONE FILLED
WITH VIGOR AND ENERGY.

211 CONTIN. REMAINING



NOW THIS
ACTUALLY
MAKES ME LESS
AGITATED THAN
BEFORE.



IT WAS
PAINFUL WHILE
I WAS ALIVE...

AS "THAT
WOMAN" SAID
THIS IS A ONCE-
IN-A-CENTURY
CHANCE FOR ME.



BESIDES, DYING FOR
NATIONAL PROSPERITY
WINS EVERYONE'S
SYMPATHY. I CAN BE
PROUD OF DYING.



HELLO
EVERYONE. I
AM TAKIMOTO
KAZUKO,
NOMINATED BY
THE
NATIONALIST
PARTY FOR A
RE-ELECTION.



NEXT WILL BE
POLICIES
PROPOSED BY
TAKIMOTO
KAZUKO OF
THE
NATIONALIST
PARTY.

AFTER CUTTING
TIES, SHE'S LIKE
A TOTAL
STRANGER.

EVEN AS I SEE HER
NOW, I DON'T FEEL
ANYTHING INSIDE.



WHO
ARE
YOU?



BUT IF POLITICIANS
THE LIKES OF HER
ARE ELECTED, THE
COUNTRY IS
PRETTY MUCH
DONE FOR





WHAT
SHOULD I
DO FOR
ALL THIS
TIME -

ANOTHER 21
HOURS, HUH...



FIRST, ONE DAY IN EVERY
MONTH WILL BE
DEDICATED "THE DAY
FOR LIFE," AND DISTRICT
ACTIVITY CENTERS WILL
PROVIDE LOCATION FOR
COMMISSIONS BETWEEN
FAMILIES OF ISRAELI
RECOVERERS AND PARENTS
OF SURVIVING CHILDREN.

MY THREE
COMMIT-
MENTS TO
PROVIDING
A SAFE
DISTRICT...



AH.



THERE'S
NOTHING
TO DO
ANYWAYS,
MIGHT AS
WELL DIE
NOW.

THAT'S
RIGHT...I
DON'T HAVE
TO WAIT AT
ALL.





LASTLY, I,
TAKUMOTO
KAZUKO,
HAVE ONE
MORE THING
TO SAY TO
ALL OF YOU.



MY SON
RECEIVED
AN
IKIGAMI.

AND
THAT IS,
TODAY...



WHY?
BECAUSE...HE
KNOWS THAT
NATIONAL
PROSPERITY IS
THE ONLY WAY TO
ENFORCE A
SAFE SOCIETY.



BUT MY SON
DIDN'T MIND THAT
HE DIDN'T HAVE
MUCH MORE TO
LIVE. HE SENT
ME OFF SMILING.



AND HE SAID, "IF THIS
HELPS PREVENTING
FURTHER DECLINE IN
CRIMINAL AGE, I'M GLAD
TO DIE LIKE THIS... IT'S
BEEN A BLESSING TO BE
MOTHER'S SON AND TO
BE A CHILD BORN IN
THIS COUNTRY."



"MOTHER...
I'M GLAD
TO BE ABLE
TO DIE FOR
NATIONAL
PROSPERITY"

HE
SAID
TO
ME.



AND I AM
PROUD OF
MY SON
FOR HIS
GLORIOUS
DEATH.

HE BEL-
IEVES
THAT
IT'S POS-
SIBLE.

MY OWN SON,
BY HIS DEATH,
WISHED TO
PREVENT
YOUTH'S FROM
COMMITTING
CRIMES.



PLEASE
SUPPORT
TAKIMOTO
KAZUKO, FOR
THOROUGH
IMPLEMENTATION
OF NATIONAL
PROSPERITY
EDUCATION!

AND SO,
EVERYONE,
PLEASE
DON'T LET
MY SON
DIE IN VAIN.



"I'M GLAD"!?

DYING BY
NATIONAL
PROSPERITY



I WAS KILLED
BY YOU A
LONG, LONG
TIME AGO!!

GULLSHIT?
JUST
BECAUSE
SHE'S ON
TV!!



THAT WOMAN, SHE'S
REALLY GOOD! SHE
DREW LISTEN UP OF
ME TO WIN THE
ELECTION!!



I WON'T
ALLOW
THAT!!

IF I DIE HERE,
NONE, ALL MY PAIN,
ANGER,
EVERYTHING... WILL
BE GONE!!

NO, I
CAN'T
DIE YET.



LET ME
SHOW
YOU...

WHAT IT'S
LIKE TO BE
KILLED...!!



16H 18MIN REMAINING



YEAH?
CAN I
HELP YOU?



PLEASE
HAVE A
SEAT.

THANK
YOU FOR
YOUR HONESTY.



I FOUND
A WALLET
ON THE
STREET...







LAST NIGHT,
ONE OF
THESE TEAR
SPRAYS WAS
SOLD -



IN THIS AREA,
ONLY LATE-
NIGHT
DISCOUNT
STORES IN THE
KITA-NAKASERA
DISTRICT HAVE
THEM.

THE TEAR
SPRAY
USED IN
THE
CRIME...

YES.



THE
PURCHASER
SEEMED TO
BE TAKIMOTO
NAOKI.



AH-HUH

TO INVESTIGATE
THIS CASE, THE
POLICE ARE
HEADING OVER TO
HIS MOTHER'S
PLACE FOR
QUESTIONS.

APPARENTLY
HIS
MOTHER'S
CREDIT CARD
WAS USED
FOR THE
PURCHASE.



I
UNDER-
STAND

THANK
YOU VERY
MUCH.



I JUST
THOUGHT I
SHOULD LET
YOU KNOW
BEFORE-
HAND.

OF COURSE,
EVEN IF
TAKIMOTO
NAOKI DID BUY
THE SPRAY...

IT DOESN'T
MEAN THAT HE
WAS THE ONE
THAT
SNATCHED THE
GUN.



THE PERSON OF
SCHEDULED DEATH
WANTED REVENGE,
AND LASHED OUT
VIOLENTLY AT HIS
OLD CLASS BULLIES.

SOMETHING
LIKE THIS
HAPPENED
BEFORE,
TOO.



THOUGH I
WOULD
LIKE TO
BELIEVE
OTHER-
WISE.



IN TIMES LIKE
THESE, THE FIRST
THING THAT
CROSSED MY
MIND WOULD BE,
"WAS IT THE WAY
I DID MY
DELIVERY?"



THOSE VIOLENT
RIOTS MUST BE
THE LAST CRY
WRONG FROM
THEIR "LIFE" -



THE OFFENDER KNOWS
WHAT KIND OF PENALTIES
HIS FAMILIES WILL
RECEIVE, AND WHAT KIND
OF IMPACT THE SOCIETY
WILL EXPERIENCE.

YET THEY
STILL
RESORT TO
VIOLENCE...

BUT FOR THOSE THAT
WENT ON A VIOLENT
PICT BECAUSE THEY ARE
TO LOSE THEIR LIFE
AFTER RECEIVING AN
IRIGAMI - WHO COULD
STOP THEM?

I DON'T MEAN
TO DEFEND
THOSE
CRIMINAL
PEOPLE OF
SCHEDULED
DEATHS,

RIGHT NOW,
ALL I CAN DO
IS TO HOPE
THAT
TAKIMOTO
NAOKI IS
INNOCENT.



74 23MIN REMAINING



TO SOLVE
THIS
PROBLEM

RECENTLY THIS AREA
HAS BEEN INFECTED BY
CRIMINAL ACTS
TARGETING
SCHOOLCHILDREN. MOST
OF THEM OCCURRED
AFTER CLASSES, ON
ROADS LEADING
TOWARDS AND AWAY
FROM SCHOOLS.

MY SECOND
COMMITMENT - IT'S
TO ESTABLISH A "NATIONAL
PROSPERITY CRIME
PREVENTION BUDGET."
IN ORDER TO RECTIFY
HIGH CRIME RATES
SCHOOL ZONES AND
CONSOLIDATE SAFE
ONES.



WHAT AN
IRON-
WILLED
MOTHER.

BUT TO KEEP
CAMPAIGNING
AFTER THIS
HAPPENED
TO HER OWN
SON...

SHE ANNOUNCED
THAT HER SON
RECEIVED AN IKIGAWA
ON A LIVE
BROADCAST
PROGRAM, SO EVEN
PEOPLE WHO AREN'T
INTERESTED IN THE
ELECTION CAME TO
WATCH.

IT'S THE
TV
BROAD-
CASTING
FROM
LAST
NIGHT.

SO MANY
PEOPLE. I'VE
NEVER SEEN A
CROWD OF THIS
SIZE GATHERING
FOR A DISTRICT
COUNCIL LOU
CANDIDATE'S
SPEECH.

WITH THIS
HAPPENING,
OUR CAMP
HAS TO
THINK
CAREFULLY.





GOOD
FOR YOUR
GOOD
LUCK!!



HE, BY HIS
OWN DEATH,
HELPS
REASSURE
THE SAFETY
OF THIS
ENTIRE
DISTRICT.



AS HIS MOTHER,
AS A PERSON,
THE VALUE OF
HIS LIFE AND
THE PAIN TO
LOSE HIM IS
FELT DEEPLY IN
MY MIND.

MY SON
ONLY
HAS 7
HOURS
TO LIVE.



YES...
I AM.

ARE YOU
THE
FATHER
OF
TAKIMOTO
NAOKI-
SAN?



MUSASHI-
GAWA
DISTRICT
POLICE, I'M
MORIMOTO.





COUNTDOWN TO TIME OF
DEATH, 7H 15MIN
REMAINING



THINKS ARE
ABOUT TO GET
REAL SERIOUS.

JUST YOU WAIT
AND SEE PEOPLE,
JUST YOU WAIT
AND SEE.

IKIGAMI CHAPTER 14
BROUGHT TO YOU BY:

**IMANGASCANS &
NEHIL SINE NEFAS**

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Episode 5

A VIOLENT ROT OF
LIFE

Act 3



COUNTDOWN TO TIME OF DEATH,
TH 10:00 REMAINING



FOR THIS PURPOSE,
A TEST IS
PRESENTED TO THE
YOUTH OF OUR
SOCIETY UNDER THE
NATIONAL
PROSPERITY
PRESERVATION
ACT -



IT MUST BE
BURNED
INTO OUR
MINDS EACH
AND EVERY
DAY THAT
WE'RE
LIVING.

"LIFE"...IT'S
THE MOST
PRECIOUS
THING ON
EARTH.



WHAT?
NAOKI
SNATCHED
A GUN!?



THAT'S
RIGHT. DO
YOU KNOW
WHERE HE
WOULD BE?



HE HASN'T
GOT MUCH
TIME LEFT,
SO WE CAN'T
EXACTLY
TAKE OUR
TIME -

BUT HE'S A
PRIME
SUSPECT;
WE'RE
LOOKING
FOR HIM
RIGHT NOW.

WELL...
WE DON'T
KNOW
THAT FOR
SURE YET.



W-
WELL...

THEN, DOES
HE HOLD A
GRUDGE
AGAINST
ANYONE?



EVEN
THOUGH
I'M HIS
FATHER, I
DON'T
REALLY
KNOW HIM...

I-I'M
NOT
SURE...



I CAN'T
THINK
OF ANY -



MY BOY
SNATCHING A
GUN, THERE
MUST'VE
BEEN A
MISTAKE
SOMEWHERE!!

O-
OFFICER!



DID YOU
REMEM-
BER
SOME-
THING?

N-NO.

TH-THAT'S
DEFINITELY
NOT HIM!



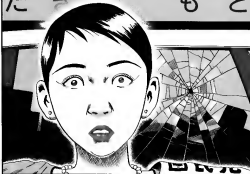








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MOMMA,
DON'T
DIE -

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THE MOTHER-SON





母子で

MOTHER-
AND-
SON,
AREN'T
WE!!









AND I
FELT...

SO
EMPTY...



Naoki!!

HE LEFT
NO WILL...
NOT A
WORD -

AFTERWARDS,
TAKIMOTO NAOKI
DIED IN THE
HOSPITAL HE WAS
SENT TO, 6 HOURS
PRIOR TO HIS
SCHEDULED TIME.

SHE IS CURRENTLY
PENDING TRIAL AT
COURT ALONG
WITH HER
HUSBAND, FOR
THE CRIMES
COMMITTED BY
THEIR DECEASED
SON.

IN THE END, THE MOTHER THAT
PUSHED HER SON TO THE PATH
OF A CRIMINAL, RAZING,
SUFFERED AN UTTER
DEFEAT...SHE WAS NEVER SEEN
IN ANY PUBLIC ACTIVITIES
THEREAFTER -

IT WAS NOT
COVERED BY THE
MEDIA, AND IT
WASN'T DISCUSSED
MUCH AMONG THE
MASS.

THE ENTIRE INCIDENT - A
PERSON OF SCHEDULED
CAST PLOTTING THE DEATH
OF HIS NATIONAL PROSPERITY
ACTIVIST BROTHER, WAS
SUBJECT TO INTENSE
INVESTIGATIONS BY THE
GOVERNMENT.

IN ANY EVENT, THIS
INCIDENT IS
ESSENTIALLY
SEPARATE FROM
NATIONAL PROSPERITY
AFFAIRS. IT'S MORE
DOMESTIC DISPUTE.

BESIDES, FROM
WHAT I'VE
HEARD, THE
MOTHER HAD
GLITE SOME
PROBLEMS.

THE INCIDENT
WASN'T
CALLED BY
YOU, FUKUNOTO-
KUN.

DON'T
WORRY
ABOUT IT
TOO MUCH

WELL...
THAT,
MAYBE.

MAYBE IT
WOULDN'T
HAVE
TURNED OUT
SO TERRIBLE.

BUT I STILL
THINK THAT
IF AN
ENIGMA WASN'T
INVOLVED.

YEAH...

I'M NOT
AGAINST
THE NPPA
OR
ANYTHING ...

ISHI-
KACHOU ...
RECENTLY
I'VE BEEN
THINKING,

FOR PEOPLE TO
RECOGNIZE "THE
VALUE OF LIFE,"
WOULDN'T THERE
BE BETTER WAYS
TO DO IT...?

IF WE'RE GOING TO
CARRY ON WITH THE
IDEOLOGY OF
NATIONAL
PROSPERITY, WE
SHOULD AT LEAST
CHANGE THE WAY WE
GO ABOUT DOING IT.

I DON'T
IMAGINE
THERE'S
MUCH
ROOM FOR
IMPROVEMENT.

BUT YOU KNOW,
THIS ACT HAS BEEN
IMPLEMENTED FOR A
LONG TIME. IT'S
DEEMED TESTED BY
TIME, AND IT'S
PRETTY MUCH
SETTLED.

TOUJON-
KUN, I
UNDERSTAND
WHAT
YOU'RE
SAYING.

IF WE
CANNOT
RECOGNIZE
"THE VALUE
OF LIFE"
WITHOUT
THE NPPA -

THEN THIS
SOCIETY
ITSELF MUST
HAVE SOME
SERIOUS
ISSUES.

RATHER...

WELL,
THIS IS
WHAT I
THINK ...

A black and white illustration of two men sitting on a wooden park bench. The man on the left is wearing a patterned jacket and dark pants, looking down at his hands. The man on the right is wearing a dark jacket and dark pants, also looking down. They are in a park setting with trees and a path in the background.

I DON'T
KNOW
WHAT THE
ANSWER
WOULD BE.

IS IT BECAUSE THIS
SOCIETY HAS ISSUES
THAT WE NEED THE
NPPA? OR IS IT THAT
THE NPPA MADE THE
SOCIETY INTO THE
WAY IT IS? -

A black and white illustration of a crowd of people walking along a path in a park. In the foreground, a man with a beard and a dark sweater is walking towards the viewer. Behind him, several other people are walking in the same direction. The background shows trees and a building.

PERHAPS A LEGAL
SYSTEM FOR
PEOPLE TO FEEL
THE WEIGHT OF
LIFE IS
NECESSARY,
AFTER ALL.

IT'S JUST THAT, IN
THIS SOCIETY
WHERE IT'S NO
LONGER SHOCKING
FOR MEMBERS OF
THE SAME FAMILY
TO KILL ONE
ANOTHER,

A large, close-up black and white illustration of a young man's face. He has dark hair with bangs and is looking directly at the viewer with a serious, slightly somber expression. He is wearing a light-colored suit jacket, a dark shirt, and a striped tie.

THOUGH, I
CAN'T EVER
SEE THAT
SYSTEM AS
WHAT WE HAVE
RIGHT NOW,
THE NPPA -





THAT IS, IF
YOU STILL
CONSIDER
YOURSELF
A MOTHER.



THAT'S
WHY I
NEED
YOUR
HELP.



BUT, FROM
NOW ON, WE
CAN START
REDEEMING
OURSELVES,
LITTLE BY
LITTLE...

WE
CAN'T
APOLO-
GIZE TO
HIM
NOW.



I... I WANT
TO RUN FOR
OFFICE IN THE
NEXT
DISTRICT
COUNCILLOR
ELECTION.



HELP
YOU
WITH
WHAT?



I NEED YOUR
HELP FOR
EVERYTHING.



AND EVEN
CHALLENGE
NATIONAL
POLICIES.

IF I'M
ELECTED, I'LL
DEVOTE
MYSELF TO
DISTRICT
POLICING.



HELP YOU
WANT TO
RUN FOR
OFFICE?



ONE DAY I'M
GOING TO BE
INVOLVED IN
NATIONAL
POLICIES.

I DON'T
CARE
HOW
LONG IT
TAKES.



AND HOW IS
YOU
RUNNING
FOR OFFICE
GOING TO
REDEEM
ANYTHING -

HOW DO
YOU
SUPPLY
GET THIS
DEAT



AND I'M
GOING TO
BRING
DOWN
THAT LAW.

IN SUCH A BITTER
PREDICAMENT...THE PAIR,
HOWEVER, DID NOT SEEK
SOLITUDE OR SECLUSION.
THEY CONTINUED LIVING,
TOGETHER AS "HUSBAND
AND WIFE," IN THE HOUSE
WHERE THEIR SON GROWED
UP.

TAKEDATO NOBUOTOSHI AND
KAZUKO, WHO, IN THEIR
TRIAL, WERE ADJUDGED AN
ENORMOUS FINE AND WHO
WERE TREATED WITH
INDIFFERENCE FOR BEING
THE SURVIVING FAMILY OF A
CORROSIVE DECADENT -

AS THE
GREATEST
TYPESETTER
EVER!

THIS IS IT, MY
CHANCE TO
BE KNOWN....



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MY EYES
CAN'T
SEE...!!

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SO YOU'RE
DONE ALL THE
PAPERWORK
WITH THE
REGISTRATION,
EH?

YEAH
THANKS
FOR
ASKING.

11
YEARS
LATER,
NOW -



GOOD
FOR
YOU.

SAKURA-CHAN
CAN LIVE WITH
HER ONE-SUN
THEN, ISN'T IT
NICE.



AND WE CAN
CELEBRATE MY
3RD
BIRTHDAY AT
OUR NEW
PLACE.

SO THE WEEK
AFTER THE NEXT
I'M GOING TO
PICK HER UP
WITH SOMEONE
FROM THE
CLINIC.

I JUST
FOUND
A NEW
PLACE.



THANKS.





THANK
YOU
VERY
MUCH.



SO YOU
TWO WORK
TOGETHER,
AND GOOD
LUCK!

THERE'S
STILL THE
SURGERY
WITH
GAKURA-
CHAN'S EYES
TO DEAL
WITH.

WELL,
EVERYTHING'S
GOING WELL.
I'M HAPPY
FOR YOU.



I'M
BACK.



EH...

ONI-
CHAN, IS
IT YOU?





IT'S 'CAUSE
WE DON'T
HAVE NEAR
ENOUGH
DONORS.



HW?

BUT ONE-
CHAN...



HUHHH



IT'S NOT
TOO HARD
ON YOU, IS
IT?

YOU RENTED AN
APARTMENT IN
ORDER TO GET
ME. IS IT
REALLY OKAY?



I'M
WORKING IN
A BANK, YOU
KNOW.

NOT IN
THE
LEAST.

MY SALARY IS
AN AWFUL
LOT, PLUS I
HAVE PLENTY
OF SAVINGS.

SO YOU
JUST
RELAX
YOUR MIND.



THIS
TIME IT'S
FOR REAL.

I HAVE
THE
CERTIFICATE
AND EVERY-
THING.



DANK
FOR ME
REALLY...

SAY YOU
WORKED IN A
NEWSPAPER'S
OFFICE, WHEN
REALLY YOU
WERE JUST A
SALESPERSON
PURSUING TO SELL
THE PAPER.

ONE-CHAN,
YOU DID
LIE TO ME
BEFORE.



RELAX
YOUR
MIND, IT'S
ALRIGHT.



WHAT IF YOU
GET SOME
MORE JOB
AND GET
INVOLVED IN
SOMETHING
DANGEROUS...

BUT I'M
STILL
WORRIED
ABOUT YOU,
ONE-CHAN.

BETTER
BE
REAL.



It's not
alright!

If
something
happens to
oni-chan,

What am I
suppose to
do to keep
living!?



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RIGHT NOW
YOUR EYES
ARE THE
MOST
IMPORTANT
THING.

I'LL
BE
FINE.

WHAT'RE
YOU
GETTING
ALL MAD
FOR...



SO I'M
WORRIED...
WHAT IF THE
REAL THING
ISN'T WHAT I
THOUGHT IT
WAS?

I'VE BEEN RELYING
ON VAGUE
MEMORIES FROM
WHEN I WAS
LITTLE...TO JUST
MAKE UP COLOURS
AND SHAPES AND
STUFF.

I'M KINDA
SCARED TO
SEE THINGS
AGAIN.

TRUTH
IS,



WHAT DO I
DO? WHAT
IF I'M
REALLY
GONE...



AM

YOU'VE
IMAGINED
HOW I
LOOKED.
TOO, YEAH?

10



I CAN'T
WAIT TO
SEE THE
"SAKURA"!

AND...

LIKE THE
BEAUTIFUL
SCENERY, THE
MAGNETIC
MOUNTAINS, THE
CITY STREETS
AND PRETTY
CLOTHES...

BUT...THERE'RE
ALSO THINGS I
CAN'T WAIT TO
SEE FOR
MYSELF.





SAY, WHAT
KIND OF
FLOWER IS
THE
SAKURA?

WHAT?
I'M
NAMED
AFTER IT.



NOT
THE
AHN.



WHAT
KIND OF
FLOWER
IS IT?



AH -
THAT'S
NOT WHAT
I ASKED!

SAKURA IS A
FLOWERING TREE
OF THE ROSACEAE
FAMILY, PRUNUS
GENUS,
INDIGENOUS TO
ASIA AND THE
HIMALAYAS -

OHAY
OHAY.



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IT'S A
SMALL,
PINK,
KAWAII,
FLOWER.

OHAY
OHAY.



AND SO,
EVERYONE HAS
SOME PRECIOUS
MEMORIES WITH
THE SAKURA.

THE SAKURA
WATCHES US
PART AND
REUNITE.

IN SPRING, THEY
BLOOM
TOGETHER ON
GREAT BIG
BRANCHES...
THOUSANDS,
MILLIONS OF
THEM.

IT'S A
BEAUTIFUL,
LOVELY
FLOWER...

ONE THAT -
BRINGS
HAPPINESS TO
EVERYONE.

AND
CELEBRATES;
EVERYONE
FORGETS THEIR
PAIN AND
SORROW.

AT THIS
TIME,
EVERYONE
GATHERS
AROUND
THEM.



I LIKE HOW
IT "BRINGS
HAPPINESS
TO
EVERYONE."





ARE YOU
GOING BACK
HOME FOR NEW
YEAR?



AHH - IT'S
UNUSUALLY
COLD THIS
WINTER.
ISN'T IT.



HAHAHAHAH.



IT'S KIND OF
RUSHED, BUT
THERE'S ONE HERE
THAT HAS TO BE
DELIVERED TODAY...

- RIGHT.
SO THESE
ARE FOR
THIS
MONTH.



HA-HA!
MUST BE
NICE
GOING
BACK
HOME...

YEAH



WHAT IS IT?



WHAT
IS IT?



YUP,
ALRIGHT.



REALLY?



I JUST THOUGHT THAT YOU'VE BEEN REALLY UNDERSTANDING AND ALL RECENTLY.

OH NO, IT'S NOTHING.



I CAN'T ALWAYS BE A HELP-UNIT, RIGHT?

GOOD-
BYE-
BYE.



AND IT'S REALLY GOOD THAT YOU DON'T NEED ANY OF MY HELP, BUT AS YOUR SUPERVISOR, I'M GETTING KIND OF LONELY.

YES, SIR.

I'M HAPPY THAT YOU'RE ENTHUSIASTIC ABOUT WORK...



JUST SOME OUTS ON THE NATIONAL PROPERTY PROTECTION ACT.

OH.



WELL, YOU'VE BEEN LOOKING AT SINCE JUST NOW.

SO FAR FROM-
KUN

YOU'RE RIGHT, OF COURSE.



WELL-- I'M IMPRESSED.



BECAUSE I'VE REALIZED RECENTLY HOW IGNORANT I AM WITH IT.

IF I KEEP BEING THIS WAY, I'LL ALWAYS BE JUST A DELIVERER, NOTHING MORE.

I'M HOPING TO LEARN ABOUT THIS LAW A LITTLE MORE.



THESE DAYS I'VE
BEEN LOOKING
INTO THE
CONTENTS OF
NPPA WHEN I HAVE
A BREAK AT WORK.

YES, THANK
YOU VERY
MUCH.

IF THERE'S
ANYTHING YOU
DON'T
UNDERSTAND,
YOU COULD
ASK ME TOO.



TWO
PEOPLE
THIS
MORNING?

SINCE I'M A DELIVERER,
IT'S ONLY NATURAL
THAT I WANT TO ARRIVE
AT AN ANSWER THAT'S
ACCEPTABLE TO
ITSELF.



HOW EXACTLY
IS KILLING
CITIZENS TIED
WITH NATIONAL
PROSPERITY -



IT'S JUST THAT, IF I'M
GOING TO COMPLAIN, I
SHOULD AT LEAST KNOW
THE LAW IN DETAIL
BEFORE I COMPLAIN.

OF COURSE, I DON'T THINK
THAT AS LONG AS I CAN FIND
AN ACCEPTABLE ANSWER,
I'LL AGREE TO EVERYTHING
ABOUT THE NPPA.



BESIDES...IN THIS
COUNTRY, THERE
ISN'T REALLY A
PLACE ONE CAN
COMPLAIN
OPENLY -



UH - YOU'VE
REACHED THE
CREDIT LIMIT
FOR THE
PAYSITE THAT
YOU USE.



**Basically,
pay up
what you
owe!**



UH...
INCLUDING
LATE FEES,
YOU OWE
502,500
YEN IN
TOTAL..

...AND SO, YOUR
AMOUNT OWING
PLUS INTEREST
SUMS UP TO BE
66,150 YEN. PLEASE
TRANSFER THIS
AMOUNT TO THE
DESIGNATED
ACCOUNT.



**If it's not
transferred
within 2
days,**

**we'll send
debt
collectors
to your
residence!!**













Papa and
Mama are
dead!!

Where else
am I
supposed to
go...

What's
wrong with
living in an
orphanage!?



What do
they want
me to -



Ora!
Wait a
damn
minute!



BOLD,
AREN'T
WE?

WHERE'DE
YOUR
EYES,
HIGHT? YOU
BUMPED
INTO ME!





HERE I'M
HOPING
YOU'D GIVE
ME MONEY...

I SAID
I DON'T
HAVE
ANY...



The fuck
did you
say-!!



HEY, KID,
PEOPLE ALL
GET POCKET
MONEY FROM
THEIR PARENTS.

HOW COME
YOU AIN'T
GOT ANY?



OI,
STOP
IT.









WHERE'RE
YOUR EYES,
HUH? YOU
BUMPED INTO
ME!

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THE RETURNING ARMS

OUR PARENTS WERE GONE,
AND I WAS SCORSED APART
FROM MY LITTLE SISTER

SAKURA...THAT PERIOD
WAS HARD ON ME...



I'VE HURT
OTHER
PEOPLE I'VE
DIED
MYSELF



BEFORE I KNEW IT,
I'VE TAKEN DEEP
DOWN WHERE THE
SUN CANNOT
PENETRATE, LIVING
WITH A HEAP OF
SECRETS



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TO GET YOU BACK...I
COMMITTED FRAUD,
AND I FAKED MY
IDENTITY.

I'M
WORKING IN
A BANK,
YOU KNOW.



BUT...I'M NOT
ROTTEN TO THE
CORE.

YEAH, THAT'S
BECAUSE I STILL
HAVE YOU.





I DON'T
GIVE A
DAMN

SO I'VE
DEGEN-
ERATED TO
A LER...

BUT YOU
DON'T
KNOW ANY
OF THIS



BECAUSE IN JUST
A BIT, I'LL BE
ABLE TO LIVE
WITH YOU AGAIN



OH YEAH,
GOTTA
TRANSFER
THE MONEY
REAL QUICK



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THE MURDERER'S GAMES





COUNTDOWN TO TIME
OF DEATH, 22H 19MIN
REMAINING.



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COUNTDOWN TO TIME OF DEATH,
2211:15:00H REMAINING



I'M GOING TO
DIE FOR
NATIONAL
PROSPERITY..?

TH-THAT'S
STUPID...!



THANK YOU
FOR CALLING
NATIONAL
PROSPERITY
SERVICE
CENTRE.









SINCE
EVERYTHING'S
ENDING, IT'S NO
USE HOLDING MY
HEAD ANYWAY...



SO BASICALLY, THERE'S NO
FUTURE FOR ME...
BASICALLY, EVERYTHING IS
ENDING-?

BASICALLY, EVEN
THOUGH I'M HOLDING
MY HEAD RIGHT NOW...





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THE MURDERER STORY



...DON'T
KNOW HIS
LOCATION
EITHER?

EMP CAN'T
REACH HIM
BY PHONE?



IF HE MAKES
CONTACT
AGAIN, PLEASE
LET ME KNOW
RIGHT AWAY.

I
UNDER-
STAND.

I'LL
LOOK HIM
UP.



I'LL TRY MY
BEST WITH
THE MOBILE
PHONE.



HOW AM I
SUPPOSED TO
DELIVER
ANYTHING IF I
DON'T KNOW
WHERE HE IS?

WIRELESS SERVICE
CENTERS... AT
LEAST GET HIS
LOCATION!



THAT'S
RIGHT.

COULD YOU
TRANSFER ME
TO TOSUNA
SATOSHI-SAN
IN THE
FINANCE
DEPARTMENT?

THIS IS
FUJIMOTO, I
WORK FOR THE
MUSASHIBAYASHI
DISTRICT
REGISTRAR...

HELLO, IS
THIS THE
HOZUMI LIFE
BANK?



HUH?

NOT AN
EMPLOYEE
OF YOUR
COMPANY?



DID THEY JESS
UP AGAIN WITH
THE REPORT...

WHAT THE
HECK... IT SAYS
THIS BANK
RIGHT HERE...











2TH 02:11N RETURNING

I
SEE...FOR
YOUR
SISTER...

YES, IN THIS
CASE IT IS
POSSIBLE TO
PERFORM THE
REMOVAL
SURGERY



TO SKIP THE
LINE-UP AND
DONATE YOUR
CORNEA TO A
SPECIFIC PATIENT.

IN
PRINCIPLE,
IT'S NOT
ALLOWED.

ACCORDING TO
THE CURRENT
ORGAN
TRANSPLANT
REGULATIONS



IS CONSIDERED
A SPECIAL
CASE, AND IT
CAN BE
ALLOWED.

HOWEVER,
SOMEONE
DYING FOR
NATIONAL
PROSPERITY...



PLEASE
TELL ME
YOUR
NAME ONE
MORE
TIME.

I WANT TO
CONFIRM
THAT WITH
THE
DISTRICT
HOSPITAL.



THIRD-
GRADE
AFTER-
NOON,
2PM.

MAY I
ASK WHAT
YOUR
SCHED-
ULED TIME
IS?



IT'S
IIZUKA
SATOSHI.



AH, UM...
PLEASE
WAIT.

OK.
YOUR SISTER
WILL BE
INFORMED BY
THE
HOSPITAL...



I WANT TO
KEEP IT
SECRET...

THAT I'M
DONATING MY
CORNEA TO
HER.



THEN
YOU...

YOU PLAN ON
LEAVING THIS
WORLD WITHOUT
LETTING YOUR
SISTER KNOW
THAT YOU'LL BE
DYING FOR
NATIONS
PROSPERITY?

WHAT AM I
SUPPOSE TO
DO TO KEEP
LIVING??

SHE'S NERVE,
AND TENDS TO
BE
EMOTIONALLY
INTENSE.

MY
SISTER
IS ONLY
16...

SHE'LL
DEFINITELY
REFUSE
THE
SURGERY.

SO, IF SHE
KNOWS THAT
HER ONLY
BROTHER IS
GONNA DIE,

YEAH...

THAT'S
MY
PLAN.





15H 28MIN REMAINING



OK.

PLEASE DON'T
INGEST
ANYTHING
OTHER THAN
WATER AFTER
8 TONIGHT.

IN ADDITION,
YOU'LL BE
ON IV DROPS
TOMORROW
MORNING.



THE
OPERATION
WILL BEGIN
TOMORROW
AFTERNOON AT
8...

WE'LL BE
STARTING
ANESTHESIA
AT 2:30.



WE'RE
FINALLY
GETTING
TO IT.

I'M
NERVOUS.

PHEW...



AIN.



SAKURA...
YOU'VE BEEN
WORKING
REAL HARD
TO THIS DAY.
ALL THERE IS
LEFT IS PRAY
FOR THE
SURGERY TO
SUCCEED.





YES?

YOU HAVE TO STOP EATING BY 9. YOU WON'T BE ABLE TO SLEEP WITH AN EMPTY STOMACH.



I- I'M...GONNA GO BUY SOMETHING TO EAT.



DON'T LET SAKURA KNOW ANYTHING. JUST LIKE THIS...

THIS IS GOOD...



I BELIEVE IN HER. SHE'LL LIVE ON WITH HER OWN STRENGTH...



AS LONG AS HER EYES GET BETTER...









AH...
TEIKO SATCHI-
GAN, RIGHT.
I'M HERE
TO
DELIVER
YOUR
DADAH...





YOU
RECEIVED
AN
IKIGAMI?

ONII-
CHAN...













YEAH...



THEN ONI-CHAN... WILL STILL BE LIVING EVEN AFTER 2PM, RIGHT?

IF IT REALLY WAS THE WEDDING PERSON,



THEN...

IF ONI-CHAN LIVES PAST 2PM...

I'LL TAKE THE SURGERY.



IF AT 2 O'CLOCK, ONI-CHAN DIES...

THEN I'M NOT TAKING THE SURGERY.



EH...





WHAT
SHOULD I
DO -

THINGS TURNED
THE WRONG
WAY...

And here you
are... damn
delivery boy
fucking it all
up!!

That's the
last thing I
could do
for her...

HIS SISTER... EVEN
THOUGH SHE
SAID THAT,
HOPEFULLY SHE'S
NOT ACTUALLY
GONNA DO IT...

I WILL DIE
WITH YOU
AT THE
SAME TIME!

The last
of my
life is so
screwed
up!!

Thanks
to you,



I DON'T NEED
TO KEEP
PLAYING PUNCH
BAG WITH HIM.

THAT'S NOT
RIGHT...I ONLY
DID WHAT I'M
SUPPOSED TO
DO.



I'LL BE DEAD
AN HOUR
BEFORE IT!!

HOW AM I
SUPPOSED TO
GET HER TO
TAKE THE
OPERATION
NOW!!



THAT'S THE RIGHT
ACTION THAT A
DELIVERER SHOULD -



...MAYBE
THERE IS A
WAY TO FAKE
IT -



AN HOUR
BEFORE...?





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SAKURA
MIGHT
SEE
THROUGH
IT.



THAT'S
WHAT
WE
HAVE
TO
WORK
ON
NEXT...

C-CAN WE
REALLY ASK
THE
HOSPITAL
STUFF LIKE
THAT?



IF WE
CONTROL
WHAT SHE
RECEIVES
THROUGH
HER EYES,
IT SHOULD
BE
POSSIBLE
TO PULL
THE
THROUGH.



TRUE...
BUT SHE
CAN'T SEE
ANYTHING
WITH HER
EYES.



I THINK
IT'S
WORTH A
TRY.





I DON'T
THINK
SHE'LL
ACTUALLY
ATTEND
SUDDEN...

WOULDN'T IT
BE BETTER TO
TELL HER THE
TRUTH AND
TRY TO
CONVINCE HER
TO TAKE THE
SURGERY?



WHAT A
REQUEST,
AND SO
SUDDENLY
TOO...



IF I DIE,
THERE'S
NOTHING
LEFT FOR
HER.

BUT I
REALLY AM
HER ONLY
FAMILY.

OF - OF
COURSE, MAYBE
SHE WAS
EXAGGERATING
TO SAY SHE
WANTED TO DIE.



AND WHO
KNOWS WHEN
HER NEXT
CHANCE FOR A
TRANSPLANT
WOULD BE...

IN THIS
STATE OF
MIND...

SHE'S NOT
GOING TO
TAKE THE
SURGERY.



SO...I REALLY
HOPE I COULD
GIVE MY
EYESIGHT TO
HER.

BUT FOR SAKURA,
SHE WON'T HAVE
A BIG BROTHER TO
RELY ON FROM
HERE ON... SHE
HAS TO LIVE ALL
BY HERSELF...

THERE ARE A
LOT OF PEOPLE
WAITING FOR A
TRANSPLANT. I
KNOW IT WAS
SELFISH OF ME
TO SAY THAT...





本日午前8時より午後3時まで、当院の待合室

1 時間進めます



伊豆沢さくらさん

IZUKA SAKURA-SAN, A PATIENT AT OUR HOSPITAL, WILL BE UNDERTAKING PENETRATING KERATOPLASTY TODAY AT 3:00PM.

THE CORNEA DONOR IS SAKURA-SAN'S BROTHER, SATOSHI-SAN, WHO IS SCHEDULED TO DIE AT 2:00PM FOR NATIONAL PROSPERITY.

お願いいたします。



HOWEVER, SAKURA-SAN SUSPECTED IT, AND IS GRAVELY SICKEN.

SATOSHI-SAN HAD TRIED TO KEEP HIS IMMINENT DEATH FROM HIS SISTER...





SHE WILL BELIEVE
THAT HIS DEATH BY
NATIONAL
PROSPERITY WAS A
MISTAKE, AND WILL
UNDERGO HER
OPERATION
PERCIPUALLY.



IF SHE COULD
CONFIRM THAT HER
BROTHER IS STILL
LIVING AFTER HIS
SCHEDULED TIME
AT 2:00PM -



THE TIME IN
OUR HOSPITAL
WILL BE
MOVED
FORWARD FOR
ONE HOUR.



FOR THIS REASON, IN
ORDER FOR SAKURA-
SAN TO CONFIRM
THE WELL-BEING OF
HER BROTHER, FROM
8AM TO 3PM
TODAY...



FOR THIS LAST WISH
OF HER BROTHER,
WHO IS SCHEDULED
TO DIE FOR NATIONAL
PROSPERITY, LET US
ALL WORK
TOGETHER...

IF SAKURA-SAN
ASKS YOU THE
TIME, PLEASE TELL
HER THE TIME
AFTER MOVING IT
FORWARD.



WE THANK YOU
FOR YOUR
GENEROUS
COOPERATION!













本日午前6時より午後5時まで、当館の
1時間進めます

YOU'RE
OVER-
THINKING
THIS.

1時間進めます。
お楽しみください。

1時間進めます。
お楽しみください。

1時間進めます。
お楽しみください。

1時間進めます。
お楽しみください。

1時間進めます。
お楽しみください。

1時間進めます。
お楽しみください。



PEOPLE IN THE
HOSPITAL...ALL THE
PATIENTS...EVERYONE IS
HELPING THE LIE.
EVERYONE IS WORKING
FOR YOUR FUTURE.

IT'S
NOT
JUST
ME...



EVEN
THOUGH
YOU SAID
YOU'LL GO
WITH ME IF
I DIE -



YOU WON'T SAY
THAT YOU WANT
TO DIE
ANYMORE, I'M
SURE OF IT...



BUT WHEN YOU
GET TO KNOW
THAT I'M
DEAD...AND WHEN
YOUR EYESIGHT
COMES BACK TO
YOU,

BECAUSE
EVERYTHING
YOU SEE WILL
GIVE YOU
STRENGTH.

IN THE
FUTURE
THAT
EVERYONE
WORKED
TO GIVE
YOU...



SO,
SAKURA,
EVEN WHEN
YOU'RE BY
YOURSELF
DON'T BE
SAD.



WALK IN
CHERISHED
STEPS - WALK
FORWARD!



AHH - I
WAS ALL
WORRIED
FOR
NOTHING!



ON 25TH FLOOR



MM

GO TAKE
YOUR
SURGERY
LIKE A
GOOD GIRL.
NOW.

THEY GOT
THE
WRONG
GUY ON
THE
13th FLOOR.

I TOLD
YOU,
DIDN'T
I?



OK.



ITZUKA-
SAN, WE
SHOULD
GET READY.



?



ONI-CHAN,
SEE YOU
IN A BIT.



SHIT...

.....



I CAN'T
SAY
ANYTHING,
HUA...

LAST
WORDS...
LAST
MOMENTS...



I'LL BE
GOING NOW

SAKURA...I'M
SORRY I LIED
TO YOU
UNTIL THE
VERY END



I'M STILL
GOING TO BE
WATCHING
OVER YOU...

DON'T
FORGET
ME, EH











HIS CORNER FROM
BOTH EYES WERE
IMMEDIATELY
REMOVED, AND
SUCCESSFULLY
TRANSPLANTED TO
HIS SISTER,
SAKURA.

IZUKA
SATOSH
DIED THAT
DAY AT
2:00PM,
SHARP.

COLOR AND SHAPE ONCE
AGAIN
REGISTERED IN
THE LIMITED EYES
OF THE YOUNG
GIRL.

HER POST-
OPERATIVE EARS
WENT WELL.
THERE WAS NO
REJECTION.

BUT SINCE THE PERSON
IN-QUESTION WAS
DECEASED, A SEARCH
WAS NOT CONDUCTED
AND IT DID NOT
INFLUENCE THE LIFE OF
HIS SISTER, SHIKURA.

NOT LONG AFTERWARDS,
IT WAS EXPOSED THAT
KURAI SATOSHI WAS
INVOLVED IN SEVERAL
FRAUDULENT ACTS,
INCLUDING PHONE FRAUD
AND FORGING
CERTIFICATES.

THE PERSON WAS TOO
MUCH INVOLVEMENT WITH
AN INFINITE RECEIVER, AND
A SUBSEQUENT
DISRUPTION OF STANDARD
OPERATING PROCEDURES
AT THE HOSPITAL.

YOU
WENT
TOO
FAR.

AND ME, I WAS PAID
CLOSE ATTENTION TO BY
THE MINISTRY OF
WELFARE AND HEALTH
BECAUSE OF THIS
INCIDENT.

BUT RATHER, A
WHOLE LOT OF
PENANCE ESSAYS AND
SELF-REFLECTION
REPORTS I WAS TO
WRITE FOR THE
HIGHER-UPS.

AS A RESULT, FOR
A FEW DAYS MY
OPPONENT
WEREN'T THE
KIGAMI DELIVERY
BUSINESS -



THERE'S SO MUCH I STILL DON'T KNOW.

I'M SO TIRED.

WHO WOULD'VE GUESSED WHAT I DID WAS AGAINST REGULATIONS...

COUNSELLING ROOM



I'M NOT A PATIENT, YOU KNOW.

SH, KUBO-SENSEI... IS THIS THERAPY?



BUT FUJIMOTO-SAN... YOU LOOK PRETTY HAPPY.

YOUR EXPRESSIONS ARE MORE CHEERFUL THAN USUAL, TOO.



OH, I KNOW.

IT'S JUST THAT FUJIMOTO-SAN, I FELT LIKE YOU WERE GLUED TOGETHER AND WEIGHED DOWN BY REGULATIONS BEFORE...

BUT THIS TIME, YOU ACTED ACCORDING TO YOUR OWN WILL.

I'M GUESSING, PERHAPS IT'S BECAUSE OF THIS THAT YOU'RE FEELING A BIT MORE AT EASE...?



I THINK IT'S
MORE LIKE I'VE
NEVER HAD A
CASE BEFORE
THAT HAD ME
RUNNING
AROUND LIKE
CRAZY.

MY OWN
WILL,
HUH...



HAH.

IT'S NICE TO
ADD A
PERSONAL
TOUCH TO YOUR
WORK FROM
HERE ON, ISN'T
IT?

FULL-
MOTO-
SAN...



IT'S YOUR
OWN WILL
THAT HAD YOU
RUNNING
AROUND LIKE
CRAZY,
THOUGH.



HAVE
MORE
FUN...?

THIS WAY,
YOU'LL
HAVE MORE
FUN DOING
YOUR
WORK, TOO.



THAT'S PROOF
THAT I'D
UNCONSCIOUSLY
STARTING TO
CONSIDER THIS A
"NORMAL" JOB.

I ACTUALLY FOUND
SOME "FUN" IN
THIS WORK
TODAY? AND I'M
SITTING HERE
SMILING...



IT'S IMPOSSIBLE TO
HAVE FUN OR
SATISFACTION LIKE
ONE MIGHT HAVE IN
ANY OTHER COMMON
JOBS.

IN ESSENCE,
WITH A JOB TO
DELIVER "GRIEF"
TO OTHERS...



AS SOON AS THE
DESPAIR OF IKIGAMI
RECEIVERS COMES
TO MIND...ALL
THOUGHTS OF "FUN"
WILL BE GONE, LIKE
ASHES IN THE WIND.



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MONTHS
LATER,
SPRING -



AN
APARTMENT...



THE TWO
OF US
LIVING
TOGETHER,
IT'S TRUE...



I'M NOT
GONNA
DIE.

ALL
LIES!!



SO WHAT? EVEN IF
ONE OF THE THINGS
IS ACTUALLY TRUE,
I'M STILL NOT
GOING TO FORGIVE
HIM.

BECAUSE
EVERYTHING ELSE
IS STILL A LIE...



CUNNING
... ONI-
CHAN.



IF I DIE,
THEN I'LL BE
KILLING ONI-
CHAN'S EYES.

HOW COULD
I DO THAT!



AFTER THE SURGERY,
I SERIOUSLY
CONSIDERED
SUICIDE...

BUT I
COULDN'T
BRING MYSELF
TO DO IT.



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I'M STILL A
MINOR. I
CAN'T LIVE
ALONE.



OH-CHAN,
I'M GONNA
HAVE TO
RETURN THE
APARTMENT...



EVERY THOUGH
MY EYES ARE
HEALED, I STILL
CAN'T SEE.



HOW AM I SUPPOSED
TO LIVE, ALONE, ALL
BY MYSELF, HEHE
OH-CHAN...



MY
FUTURE
-



IT'S A
BEAUTIFUL,
LOVELY
FLOWER...

AND SO,
EVERYONE HAS
SOME PRECIOUS
MEMORIES WITH
THE SAKURA.

THE
SAKURA
WATCHES
US PART
AND
REUNITE.

SAY, ONI-CHAN,
WHAT KIND OF
FLOWER IS THE
SAKURA?

THIS
IS...THE
SAKURA...

BRINGS
HAPPINESS
TO
EVERYONE.

ONE
THAT -



THANK YOU,
ONII-CHAN.

MY FUTURE...I
CAN SEE IT
NOW...





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